

SPECIFICATION:

- (1) Please replace the paragraph on page 5 of the specification beginning “The information of the repair shop” with the following amended paragraph:

The information of the repair shop specifies ~~what~~the maintenance work (vehicle inspection, body fixing repair, and the like). The information of the specialized shop specifies types and prices of optional parts, and the like. The information of the mass retailer specifies both ~~of~~the maintenance work and the parts.

- (2) Please replace the paragraph on page 6 of the specification beginning “The information processing server 1d” with the following amended paragraph:

The information processing server 1d links the user-divided database 1a and the advertisement requestor 1b, and transmits the information that ~~are coincides~~coincide with each other between the databases 1a and 1b. That is, the server 1d compares the preference information, e.g., optional parts used in the vehicle and interested parts of a user, stored in the user-divided database 1a, ~~is compared~~ with on-sale parts of the advertisement requestor stored in the advertisement requestor-divided database 1b, and transmits to the user terminal 2 parts information which corresponds to the preference of the user.

- (3) Please replace the paragraph on page 7 of the specification beginning “In the information center 1,” with the following amended paragraph:

In the information center 1, the information processing server 1d links the ~~user-~~user-divided database 1a and the advertisement requestor-divided database 1b (step 24)

that have corresponding data. That is, the server 1d checks for data which correspond between stored data of the databases 1a 1a and 1b based on the preference information of the user, because the registered data includes the user's preference. The server 1d thus extracts data which correspond to each other. For instance, if information regarding optional parts or interested parts which the user uses or has interests-interest in are registered in the user-divided database 1a, a link is made to a parts-seller part of the advertisement requestor-divided database 1b which stores information of specialized shop or mass retailer having such optional parts or interested parts.